WEATHER—Cloudy tonight. Sunday unsettled, probably fair.

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Institute Program Announced

Coal Offered At $4.00 a Ton

Coal Prices Take Sudden Drop Today

Connellsville, Nov. 6.—Coal dropped to $4.00 a ton in the local market today when the car supply reached the one hundred per cent mark and buying lagged. This is a record low price since the establishment of Federal regulation. The average price of 18 cents per bushel was quoted for domestic use.

Coal will be cheaper in the Pittsburgh district within the next two weeks, unless all present indications of supply and demand, season, railroad and labor conditions utterly fail. Production is expected to be light this week, owing to election day and the opening of the rabbit season, when many miners take an additional day off to go hunting. Once the week is broken a miner seldom returns before the beginning of the following week.

One of the greatest factors in the relief of the coal shortage is the removal of the priority order affecting the northwest. For some time past several thousand tons of local production have been going into that district daily at the expense of the local consumer. Now that the northwest is well stocked there is consequently an abundance of coal for the Pittsburgh section. The affect of this reduction of demand upon coal mines will be most certain felt in more abundant supply and in the softening of prices.

One prominent coal operator has declared that the decline in prices, which is already under way, will bring the price down to "just about where it ought to be." He is authority for the statement that the unusually high price of coal existed only in the speculative "spot" market, and did not affect contracts. The wholesaler has always been protected, he declares, and never has paid the high prices quoted for spot coal. This being the case, a more abundant supply of coal will be felt in the open market first, and will probably not bring a reduction in the price of coal to small consumers.

The reason for the advance upon the open market was caused by a scarcity of supply which invited speculation in the commodity. Brokers who find themselves with a large quantity of coal on hand are in for a bad winter, for large producers who have long been far behind on their contracts are nearly all caught up, and within a very short time will seek an outlet on the open market.

An indication of the decided drop which has already taken place, a prominent jobber stated, that steam coal was selling on Tuesday at $6.00 per ton and gas coal at $7.00, while these two grades could not be purchased six weeks ago for less than $9.00 and $10.00 per ton respectively.

Convalescing

GOOD INSTRUCTORS AND WELL KNOWN ENTERTAINERS SECURED FOR BIG EVENT

Less than a month remains until the annual institute of the teachers of Rostraver township and Monessen opens and the event is being awaited with interest not only by the teachers who look forward to a week of high class entertainment and instruction, but also the pupils who will enjoy a two weeks vacation at this time. With Thanksgiving on Thursday, Nov. 25th, school will be dismissed the day previous and will not convene until Monday, December 6th, as the institute opens on November 29th and continues until December 3rd.

The day instructors will be Dr. J. Linwood Eisenberg, principal of the Slippery Rock State Normal School, who will be here all five days of the institute; Dr. Payson Smith, Commissioner of Education, Boston, Mass., who will speak the last three days; Supt. Ben. G. Graham, of the New Castle schools, lecturer for Monday and Tuesday; Dr. Albert Lindsay Rawland, Director of Teachers' Bureau, Harrisburg, Tuesday. Miss McKenzie of Pittsburgh, supervisor of Primary Work in McKelvy school, will be primary instructor for the entire week. Miss Schmidt will be musical director.

Included in the evening entertainments will be a pageant "The Light" given by the pupils of the local schools. This will be a new innovation and undoubtedly will be a big attraction. Tuesday evening the attraction will be "Fine Feathers," a play by the Percival Vivian players. This company was organized and sent out under the personal direction of Mr. Vivian of New York City, who is probably best known through his association with the Ben Greet players.

Wednesday—Concert by the Pittsburgh Quartette composed of
Vera Kaighn, soprano.
Ida Heatley Claudy, contralto.
Will A. Rhodes, tenor.
John S. Roberts, bass.
Vera Wilson Walker, accompanist.
Mary Jones Sherril, reader.
Thursday—Lecture by Dr. Edward Amherst Ott.

Governor Cox Planning Reorganization

(By United Press)
By HERBERT W. WALKER
(United Press Staff Correspondent)

Columbus, Ohio, Nov. 6—Governor James M. Cox, apparently undismayed by the rout of the Democratic forces at the polls Tuesday, indicated today that he will attempt to reorganize the party of which he is the head for political combats of the future.

His first step along this line was to make it plain that he does not believe the Democratic party will cease to exist as the result of its overwhelming defeat.

"Talk of a new party is absurd," he said.

Show on that his fighting spirit has not been crushed the governor characterized the election result as "a defeat, but not a "surrender".

"In spirit I am as proud as when the fight started" he said. "I would not retract a step nor yield a single iot in principle. It was a privilege to make the contest for the right in the face of overwhelming odds. There is a distinct difference between defeat and surrender. The flag of Democracy still flies as the symbol of things more enduring than the passions and resentments that come with the aftermath of the war.

"So long as government exists the principles of Thomas Jefferson will be the center about which human hopes will gather. Talk of a new party is absurd. One might as well discuss the destruction of human emotions. As essential as it has been to the welfare of the past, the creed of Democracy is more needed now than ever because recent events have made it distinctively the American party."

Cox's statement was the first since election day.

It is the belief of the governor that the overwhelming defeat will result, during the next four years, in a party more united than ever before, the Democrats realizing that their hope of any future success lies in complete unity. On the other hand he is certain that views of various Republican leaders, such as Senator Johnson and ex-President Taft are so divergent that they will cause serious dissension in the ranks of the new administration.

The governor has received hundreds of messages assuring him that his defeat was not personal, but due to a widespread desire of the country for a change from the administration in power during the war.

Cabinet Possibilities

(By United Press)

Washington, Nov. 6—There is a growing doubt among both Republicans and Democrats here that Herbert Hoover will be one of the members of President-elect Harding's cabinet when it is finally made up. Hoover has been mentioned for three portfolios—the state, interior and commerce departments.

No Republican will speak for publication on cabinet possibilities in advance of Harding's selection and Democrats hold it would be discourteous for them to do so. But it was learned in authoritative quarters that there are two reasons why Hoover is likely to remain in private life.

One reason is that many Republicans are known to be opposed to Hoover and another is said to be that Hoover himself is inclined to believe he can be of more service outside official life than in it.

One prominent Republican said to be opposed to Hoover is Senator Hiram Johnson of California against whom Hoover ran in the California congressional primaries. Senator Boies Penrose, of Pennsylvania, who is expected to be a prominent figure in the councils of the next administration is also said not to be enthusiastic about Hoover believers, as do many other Republicans that Hoover's action two years ago supporting President Wilson's appeal for a Democratic congress should disqualify him for party preferment.

It is also reported Gov. Frank Lowden may get the secretary of interior post instead of the treasury which would leave Hoover to be secretary of commerce, if he were appointed. This post is not considered one of the most active in the cabinet and it is said to be doubtful if he would take it.

Another cabinet possibility being talked of here is former Representative John J. Esh, of Wisconsin, co-author of the Esch-Cummins transportation law. He was defeated in the primaries.

Warfare Continues

By WEBB MILLER

London, Nov. 6.—Guerrilla warfare was reported today from various parts of Ireland. Despite police reprisals, the Sinn Feiners were continuing to attack and ambush forces of soldiers and black and tans, according to advices received here.

A Cork dispatch said that 200 Sinn Feiners had been surrounded by a large body of troops near Macroom, where they surrendered. The dispatch failed to make clear whether fighting preceded the surrender of the rebels.

Fierce fighting was said to have taken place when a detachment of troops was ambushed near Edgeworthstown. The casualties were not given. Two soldiers were reported to have been killed and two civilians wounded during a series of raids on the homes and gatehring placees of Sinn Feiners in Dublin. Many of the raids were featured by gun-fights between the Irish and the soldiers.

A message from Dublin stated that a British marine had been killed and two more wounded in an attack by Sinn Feiners on the coast guard station at Union Hill.

A creamery was burned and several houses destroyed by a police reprisal raid at Ballynote in revenge for the murder of a member of the Royal Irish Constabulary.

Many Irish towns were being isolated by withdrawal of railway train service. Cancellations of trains on the North Kerry line, a Cork dispatch said, isolated Rathkeal, New Castle, West Abbey Feale, Listowel and Ballybunion. Only one train was left on the run between Cork and Macroom.

A Sinn Fein court, which was meeting in a deserted police barracks at Ennis, was raided but no arrests made. Deserted police barracks were burned at Kilmihill.

Smoker Tonight

As previously announced, the Moose Smoker tonight will be bigger and better than ever, as may be seen from the program of four good boxing bouts, opening with Mike Furlong and Cuddy DeMarco, as certain raisers. Young Cutzy and Kid Gordon in the second bout, while Battling Reed and Knockout Furlong are in the semi-final. Willard Latchem and Kid Carter are the main bouters, this being the long and short of it. Latchem, the Charleroi giant, six foot four, and weighing 190 pounds, Carter, five foot three and weighing 135 pounds. Carter's longer ring experience is expected to gain him the verdict, while Latchem figures with a little more experience he will satisfy his ambition to be heavy weight champion of the valley. The musical program will again be in evidence. Loui Bruno again has been engaged on the strength of the encores accorded him at the last smoker.

The boxing will again be under the direction of Digger Stanley, and the officers as usual extend a cordial invitation to everybody, accompanied by a member, assuring all that the night's free entertainment will be far ahead of any previous effort on their part. At the last smoker over five hundred appreciative patrons enjoyed the evening at the Moose Temple and provision has been made to accommodate twice that number tonight. Come and bring your friends to the greatest social event in town tonight.

Observe School Week

"School Week," will be observed over the country December 5 to 11. Commissioner of Education Claxton of Washington has requested the governors and chief school officers of the states to take such action as may be necessary to cause the people to use the week in such a way as it will most effectively disseminate information in regard to the conditions and needs of the schools.

Chambers of commerce, boards of trade, women's clubs, rotary clubs, labor unions, farmers' organizations and patriotic and civic societies are requested to devote one meeting to a discussion of the needs of education in their states. The ministers also are asked to devote one of their church services on Sunday, December 5, for emphasizing the importance of education.

Friday afternoon and evening of school week has been designated as the date on which community meetings in the interests of education should be held in all school houses both in the city and country, for the purpose of discussing the needs of the schools, the means of meeting these needs and remedying conditions.

Moose Smoker tonight. 4 boxing bouts, vaudeville, music, members and friends welcome. 1t

12,000 Majority

With all the election precincts in with the exception of North Belle Vernon, Webster and the Third ward of Vandergrift, the returns from the 122 precincts served to increase the Republican majorities. Harding and Coolidge carried Westmoreland county by over 12,000 and Adam M. Wyant for congress has a plurality of 9,000. Notwithstanding the bitter fight waged against him by the friends of Congressman John H. Wilson, the latter polled but 1,000 more votes than Cox in this county. Wyant carried Butler county by at least 1,000 and Butler town, the home of Congressman Wilson, by 150. It is safe to assume that he will have 9,000 of a plurality in the district.

Hon. James B. Weaver of Latrobe, who had no opposition, succeeds himself in the state senate. Thomas M. Whiteman of the Latrobe Bulletin, and Roy Hayes, are elected to the state legislature in the First district. The winners in the Second district are Messrs. Henderson McConnell and Reader. They followed Wyant closely.

For the first time in its history, Manor borough went Republican by 39 of a majority—entirely due to the votes polled by the women. 116 of them cast their first ballot.

It was stated this morning that in all the 195 voting precincts of the county, but three went Democratic by small majorities. Hitherto there were quite a number of small towns and villages that were strongly Democratic, but this time they were buried in the avalanche of Republican ballots and will probably never be exhumed.

Soldier on Visit

J. C. Lemley of 340 Donner avenue was pleasantly surprised this morning when his brother, Sgt. Wm. Lemley arrived here for a short visit. Sgt. Lemley has enlisted in the 17th Calvary and has been stationed at Honolulu for the past two years. He recently secured a two month furlough and immediately left on the Great Northern for San Francisco and arrived here this morning. This is the first time Sgt. Lemley has seen other members of his family for six years and the evening in company with Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Lemley and their son, Junior, he will leave for Fairmont, W. Va., to visit at the home of their parents.

Mill to Close

(By United Press)

Lewistown, Pa., Nov. 6. The Standard Steel Works employing 2,000 men today posted notices of an indefinite layoff of 40 per cent of the employees. No reason was given for the layoff.

Meet Wednesday

(By United Press)

Harrisburg, Pa., Nov. 6—Meeting of the state industrial board was postponed to Wednesday, November 10 to enable permit members of the board to consider the industrial leaders code which will be presented at a public hearing on that day, it was announced today. The board is scheduled to meet on the first Tuesday of each month.

Harrisburg, Pa., Nov. 6—The department of labor and industry announced today the resignation of E. X. Pennock, actuary of the Workmen's Compensation Bureau, who will become actuary of the New York State Fund. Pennock was appointed to his post here by Commissioner Jackson in 1913.

Pennsylvania Day

Pennsylvania Day is being observed today at Pennsylvania State College and thousands of visitors are found on the campus and in the town. The big event of this afternoon will be the football game between State College and Nebraska with fraternity and club dances a feature tonight. A number of local people left yesterday to be in attendance over the week end and to see Ronald Williams the local boy, at quarter back for the Penn State team. Capt. Hess of Belle Vernon will probably be out of the lineup for the first time, owing to a slight injury suffered in the game last week.

Held Rally

The seventeen churches of the Pittsburgh district of the United Brethren church closed a timely rally in Young People's work, the Junior Christian Endeavor society being host. President J. M. Leister, pastor of the Trafford church, presided in his able manner, and delivered the opening address. Miss Lois Bridle of McKeesport, presided the Intermediate work, while Miss Mary Shepherd, superintendent of the local society, presented a beautiful demonstration showing the possibilities of Junior work. Sixteen choruses responded to the roll call. Miss Hannah Hamilton of Duquesne proved a very desirable soloist while Mrs. Joseph Wheatley and daughter Mary rendered the duet. The evening's program equally as well with the The evening's address was given by Rev. C. W. Wiest, pastor of the Wilkinsburg church.

Enjoy Air Flight

Some of the people took a ride in the plane of the Monessen Aero Company, Inc., long [illegible] the river and while it was not [illegible] some of the experience. He was followed by John Bruce, Pete Garner, James Hanan, John Hatton and Steve Ihnat. The [illegible] carried two passengers each and several [illegible] went up on the short ride and were pleased with the [illegible] Manager Davis [illegible]

Obregon Pleased

(By United Press)

Mexico City, Nov. 6—President-elect Obregon said today that he would consider a meeting with President Harding at the United States border as "highly beneficial to both countries."

Obregon said, however, that he had not yet been officially approached with regard to the proposed meeting at which the American-Mexican question would be discussed. He said that if it could be arranged, it would be a very desirable step toward betterment of relations between the republics.

Woman Sheriff

Ruston, Mich., Nov. 6—Mrs. Jane Johnson, aged 45, mother of seven children and sheriff-elect of Ros county, today outlined the platform on which she will go into office next January.

"I am [illegible] a bad man, or a bad woman, [illegible] of the law," she said, "but as a matter of precaution I will appoint my husband deputy. In the interests of [illegible] searching for and bring [illegible] to justice my [illegible] two girls and a boy and [illegible] duties in the county jail."

Mrs. Johnson added that [illegible] she'll be the one [illegible] for her "to arrest a bad man he will have [illegible] who has been after him."

The sheriff-elect gained her experience from her husband, who has been sheriff for the last six years, and whom she married 20 years ago.

Birthday Party

Master Junior Pore tendered a party yesterday afternoon in honor of his ninth birthday. Twenty-two guests assembled in response to invitations and a very pleasing program consisting of music and games was carried out. At 5 o'clock a lunch was served and the guests spent a very pleasant hour at the table. Mrs. Pore was assisted by Mrs. A. N. Shuster and Miss Anna Kingsley. After lunch there was a social time until theatre hour when a visit was made to the Star theatre, this being a very pleasant part of the program. The honor guest received many gifts in memory of the occasion.

Those present were: Dorothy Dawson, Harold Dawson, Martha Dils, Samuel Dils, Victor Dils, Alvin Sheeler, James Kirk, Lawrence Duvall, Betty Barbon, Dorothy Reed, Mary Keogh, Albert Shuster, Florence Kelly, Evelyn Grove, Richard Kelly, Stanley Navhouse, Eleanor Stephens, Janice Meyers, Helen Lewis, Junior Pore, Byron Beery and Hazel Rogers.

Murder Mystery

St. Louis, Nov. 6. The body of Miss Edna Ellis, aged 19, was found in a clump of woods in a vacant lot in the northern section of the city. Miss Ellis was a stenographer and was considered very pretty. Her throat had been slashed and a knife was found near the body. The girl had been beaten severely. Both were discovered.

The condition of the girl [illegible] when the body was found indicated Miss Ellis fought desperately with her assailant. The lot is located in a [illegible] section.

Miss Ellis who [illegible] of the murder was last seen getting off a street car in the neighborhood [illegible] home from work last night. Shortly before the body was found at 9 a.m., Miss Ellis' mother reported to the police that her daughter had not come home last night. Police began a search of the neighborhood and footprints in the lot led to the discovery of the body.

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REPUBLICAN IN POLITICS

ALL OVER, THANKS BE

With the leaves green on the trees and the song of the lawnmower still to be heard in the land, it is difficult to realize that Thanksgiving is just around the corner and Christmas merely a matter of weeks. But the calendar is not to be deceived by the weather, and the merchant will soon be advising us to "shop early."

How the years fly That old Roman, who once casually remarked "tempus fugit," knew a lot. Tempus has done considerable fugiting this year, and most of us are happy that Tempus has made such a thorough job of it. Every four years we have to go through the agony of electing a President, and it's anything but a pleasant duty. We used to favor eight-year terms for President, but that was before Mr. Wilson knocked all such foolishness out of our heads. In the past four years there have been times when six-month terms seemed a trifle long. Nevertheless, national campaigns are nuisances.

But praise be, we have weathered the storm. It is all over but finishing counting the votes, and that will not be over until some time tomorrow in populous districts. We may again settle down to normal ways of living. Shortly we shall discover that there is nothing really devilish about the plain, everyday Democrat, and that there may have been times when even we Republicans may have been just a wee bit unreasonable. And, after that, we shall chalk the election down in the annals of our own personal ancient histories, chuck our campaign buttons into the waste basket and begin to figure out a means of accumulating the price of a Thanksgiving turkey and to shop early with a purse that has been looted by the coal man and his genial pal, the butcher.

Politics is a great game—if you don't take it too seriously. It's a long way to 1924, thank goodness.

Widespread interest is being manifested in plans for a great exposition by the agricultural, stock-raising, fruit growing and dairy interests of Pennsylvania to be held in Harrisburg in January. Secretary of Agriculture Rasmussen, with the leaders in the various interests which will be represented, have had already several conferences and the conviction is growing among thoughtful people that no more constructive movement can be inaugurated to stimulate public interest in these important food producing activities.

For a time the rural community was regarded as an incident in the development of Pennsylvania. It is now taking its proper place at the very head of the procession of all industry. There ought to be held once a year a permanent exposition which would gather to itself the best of everything displayed at the several county fairs. These have had much to do with sustaining interest in rural life. Secretary Rasmussen is eminently practical and has already in a remarkable degree secured the confidence of the important interests which are now being co-ordinated for development of more scientific and intensive effort in the farm areas of the Commonwealth.

Governor Sproul, fortunately, is familiar with what is needed in this direction and will doubtless cooperate in every proper move for the establishing of an exposition commensurate with the importance and resources of Pennsylvania. Indeed, a year ago in Harrisburg he addressed the farmers and indicated in no half way fashion his desire that there should be founded an exposition that would encourage and develop in every department the agricultural features of the state.

CLEARING OUT LOAFERS

Police officials in some cities are taking the position that loafers who have no regular occupation must go to work or get out. The loafing element has been far less conspicuous of late. But as soon as the mills slacken up a bit and farm work closes for the season the same old sons of rest that have always decorated the park benches will again be conspicous. No doubt through the coming winter there will be some men who actually can't find steady employment. But in the great majority of cases the loafers are too fussy.

Able bodied young men will turn down jobs and subsist on the bounty of friends rather than work for less money than they have been getting. In these times when food is still high priced and service hard to find, most of the loafers could at least find odd jobs to do. Some of them could be keeping poultry in their back yards and thus helping out the food supply.

Some automobile drivers are getting so afraid of the traffic cops, that they shrink back with alarm on seeing them from a railroad car window.

The laundry business should be active this winter, as they have to clean up baseball before another summer.

At present prices of millinery election betting of hats was reported to have been strictly confined to men.

PUNTS ACCURATELY FOR HIS COLLEGE

PLUMB
Halfback, on the Allegheny College Team.

Halfback Plumb has made a record in punting for Allegheny College and the varsity coach has decided to use him throughout the season to handle this vitally important feature of the game. His backfield work also has been excellent and when he hits the line there is speed and force behind his plunge. He was a member of the team in 1919, when he established himself in his present position.

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To Inspect Highways in Winter

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The Department December 1 will begin the making of daily reports on road conditions to the weather bureaus of Philadelphia, Pittsburgh and other cities. These bureaus will in turn inform motor clubs, manufacturers, and the public in general on the condition of the main hard surfaced highways over which winter traffic passes. This service will cover the Lincoln highway between Philadelphia and Pittsburgh; the National Pike within the boundaries of Pennsylvania; the highway between Harrisburg and Philadelphia, via Reading; the William Penn High way between Reading and Easton; the Lincoln Highway from Pittsburg to the Ohio line. Each of these road ways has been divided into sections. Superintendents in the various counties each day will mail to the weather bureaus and to the State Highway Department cards giving the condition of the roadway by sections. If marked changes occur during the night telegraphic reports will be made the following morning. Farmers, manufacturers, automobile clubs and road users in general who desire accurate information regarding the conditions of the main traveled roadways may secure that information from the weather bureaus in Philadelphia or Pittsburgh, or from the State Highway Department at Harrisburg.

In the snow removal operations the State Highway Department's Maintenance Division will use 80 heavy trucks, 60 snow plows, and 50 road machines, besides hundreds of men and many teams

Raising Bamboo in Louisiana.

The department of agriculture tells the people of this country that experiments in Louisiana show that Chinese and Japanese bamboo may be grown there and that the cultivation of some varieties may be profitable.

Mention is made, for instance, of Phyllostachys pubescens, which one may eat as a salad when the shoots are six or eight inches above the ground, or which may be used for timber later, as the "shoots" reach a height of from 60 to 70 feet in three weeks.

The bamboo, we are told, may be used in building operations or for telephone poles or spars, hence it is recommended as a source of wealth to those who live in southern Louisiana. It may be profitable to them, but folks in the North feel that the Louisiana residents will find it more profitable to continue to raise sugar cane and the price of sugar, remarks the Hartford Courant.

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6 Rooms, large reception hall, cement cellar, newly papered, large porches, Lock No. 4, price $4,450.00
6 Rooms, bath, electric, furnace, slate roof, large porches, newly built, extra large lot, Lookout Ave., Charleroi, Pa., price $4,950.00
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The circus does not change. But we, feeling the heavy hand of passing time, have changed. No longer do we feel as children. Through the glamor, we see the sadness. Forsooth, since our childhood days, we have progressed.—Milwaukee Journal.

Natural Wonders.

When waters charged with carbonate of calcium derived from limestone are evaporated they deposit masses of the carbonate, some of which are of great beauty. This process can be observed at many warm and "petrifying" springs and also in limestone caverns where stalactites and stalagmites are being formed, according to the United States geological survey. Mexican "onyx" is formed in this way. Its variations in color and texture, which make it attractive and valuable as an ornament, are commonly produced by impurities or inclusions, such as oxide of iron, or even mud and clay.

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Under the coaching of Applegran, of the University of Illinois, teams of '14, '15 and '19, the Meadville squad has been playing good football this season and promises to hold up the college's fine record of 37 games won to only 6 lost between 1913 and 1917 when war interrupted the schedule. Applegran knows the game thoroughly and has already hung up a record for himself and the college by holding down the powerful Colgate team to a 7-7 tie this season, which was beyond the hopes of even the most optimistic students of the college. His next big test of generalship will be against Carnegie Tech, an ancient enemy of Allegheny in Pittsburgh tomorrow. Both teams have been stretching themselves for a victory in this contest and a genuine gridiron battle will be witnessed by the fans at Tech field.

Local and Personal Items of Interest

There is no charge for items contributed to this column of the going and coming of people or social happenings. Call 53.

Fenton O. Keister, aged 65, brother of the late Congressman A. L. Keister, died yesterday at his home in Scottdale.

The Ladies Aid Society of the First Baptist church will hold its annual bazaar on December 9th. It

G. H. Thomas and Charles Shutterly are among the local people who are attending the exercises at State College todday.

Mrs. E. T. Carter of Reed avenue who has been visiting in Canada returned last evening accompanied by her mother, Mrs. Fleming.

Come and spend an enjoyable evening at the Moose Smoker tonight. Entertainment galore, no admission charged. It

Walter Scott of Belle Vernon and Miss Mollie Vanderslice of Monongahela left yesterday to attend the Pennsylvania State College exercises.

Mr and Mrs. J. W. Cadwallader and Mrs. C. M. Ridenour spent yesterday in Pittsburgh, Mr Cadwallader driving home in a new Sport model Chalmers car.

Mrs. G. H. Thomas of this city was one of the speakers at the convention of the Lower Monongahela District Sunday schools held on Thursday in Monongahela City.

The local High school ball team, accompanied by a large crowd of loyal fans early this afternoon left for Monongahela City where they meet the High school team representing that place.

There will be a euchre and 500 at the Fifth Avenue Hotel Monday evening, November 8th, for the benefit of Table No. 1 of the St. Leonard's supper and bazaar. All are invited. 27-4t

Mrs. Geraldine Stapleton of Eighth street, is spending the week end at the home of her parents in Saxton, Pa. She will be accompanied home by her son who has been spending some time there with his grandparents.

Arrangements have been completed to handle a large crowd at the Moose Smoker tonight; entertainment starts at 8 o'clock sharp. Come early and get a good seat. Admission free. It

George Anderson, a local tin mill worker, was called to his home in Beallsville last night by the sudden death of his father, J. Riley Anderson, a borough councilman. The deceased is survived by a wife and six children.

Monday morning J. V. Conti and Sons, will move their wholesale produce establishment from the corner of Third street and Schoonmaker to their new location at First and Donner, occupying the building recently purchased by them and which was formerly occupied by Parnelli Bros.

Two hundred members of the Monongahela Valley Country club were in attendance at the weekly dinner dance and card party last night. Good music was furnished and the guests enjoyed a pleasant evening. The dining room of the club will be closed following this week.

A partial eclipse of the sun will occur on November 10, when about one-quarter of the sun's face will be hidden by the moon coming between the earth and the sun. The eclipse will occur at 8:27 in the morning and will end at 11:05. The greatest obstruction will be at 9:58 o'clock. The phenomenon will be visible in this section of the country if the skies are clear.

A bond issue of $85,000, for the erection of a new school building in Bentleyville carried at the Tuesday election by a ratio of 4 to 1. The school board asked for approval from the citizens to use that sum in replacing the structure destroyed by fire last June. The new building will be erected in a central part of the town and not on the site of the one burned. The site has not been announced as yet.

Mr. Vincent D. Daniels who played the piano at the Philadelphia Candy Kitchen Halloween night, incognito, will play again Saturday evening from 8 to 11 p. m. Those who were there Halloween night enjoyed Mr. Daniels' playing. Those who were not there to hear Mr. Daniels Halloween will be able to hear him Saturday night. 27-3t

Constable E. L. Woolsey went to Greensburg, having in custody a negro named Charles Moore, who is charged with shooting a fellow negro in the leg. The wounded man was removed to the Monongahela City hospital. The shooting occurred in the negro quarters in the upper end of Monessen and a number of shots were fired as the result of a fight over a game of crap.

Miss Elsie Nelson entertained her Sunday School class of the English Lutheran church at the home of Mrs. Graff Milhollan of Tenth street last evening. The members of the class presented Miss Bernice Rose with a gold bar bin. Miss Rose is leaving for Chicago this evening, where she will make her future home. Games and music were indulged in and a very nice lunch was served by Mrs. Milhollan and Miss Nelson.

A dilapidated young man, walking down the streets this morning, attracted quite a bit of attention. His face was black and he wore an old pair of shoes with the soles out and without shoe strings. When questioned he stated that last night at Wireton he had been held up and his money amounting to several hundred dollars and his clothing stolen. He had borrowed the clothing he was wearing this morning and was on his way to the police station to report the affair.

NOTICE TO COAL DEALERS

Bids will be received by the School Board of Monessen for a supply of run of mine coal to be delivered to the various school buildings in Monessen during the winter months. Bids will be opened at the regular meeting Tuesday evening, Nov. 9th, 1920.

Dr. F. C. Duvall, Sec.
27-4t Monessen School Board

FRENCH USE ENGLISH WORD

Academy Which Keeps Language Correct Decides to Admit "Gentleman" to the Dictionary.

The French academy, which devotes long sittings to the task of keeping the French language absolutely correct, and which regards all foreign words introduced into the language with horror, has just made an exception in favor of an English word, which is henceforward to have a place in the official dictionary of France, says the London Telegraph. This is the word "gentleman," which is very frequently used in modern writing and conversation rather than the time-honored gentilhomme, which ordinarily means nobleman, but which, in the new edition of the dictionary, is to be described as meaning "a man who without being noble by race, has lofty sentiments, elegant manners, and does noble acts." With regard to the word "gentleman," it is to be described in the dictionary as "an English word sometimes employed in French in the metaphorical and moral sense of the word gentilhomme."

This is undoubtedly not the last time the French academy will be called upon to give an official welcome to an English word which has become current in the French language; for example, the word "home" is becoming a great favorite, and the misuse of the words "smoking" and "dancing" for "smoking jacket" and "dance hall" has become so usual that the English origin of the words is quite forgotten.

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CHURCH NOTES

Sunday School at Shepler Mission Sunday afternoon at 3 oclock. Service in charge of John Hughes at 7:45.

First Baptist church, Rev. E. T. Carter, pastor—Sunday school at 9:30; Morning worship at 10:45 and evening worship at 7:45. All are welcome.

The Associated Bible Students meet every Sunday morning in Kelly's hall for Bible Study at 3 p. m. A speaker from Pittsburgh will give an address which all should hear. Come and bring your friends.

Chiesa Ev. Italiana di San Paolo, McKee avenue. (tra la Seconda e Rostraver Str.) Servizi Religiosi. Domenica ore 3 p. m. Dottrina Cristiana. Domenica ore 4 p. m. Predicazione.

First Christian church---Percy A. Davis, pastor---Bible school at 9:30 a. m., Frank Bowers, superintendent. Preaching at 10:45 a. m. Wednesday evening prayer meeting at 8 o'clock. Sunday evening services at 7:45. All are welcome to attend these services.

The First Presbyterian church---J. R. McFarland, pastor. Sabbath school at 9:45 a. m. Dr. W. P. Gemmill, superintendent. Preaching services at 11 a. m. Christian Endeavor at 6:30 p. m. Preaching at 7:30 p. m. Mid week prayer meeting on Wednesday evening at 7:45 p. m.

First M. E. church, Schoonmaker avenue and Fourth street, Rev. John Bickford, D. D. pastor---Sunday School at 9:30, Roger Richards, superintendent; morning worship at 10:45, Junior League at 2:30; Epworth League at 6:45 and evening service at 7:45. A cordial welcome is extended to all.

Trinity Episcopal church—Services for the 23rd Sunday after Trinity. 9:45 a. m., church school; 7:30 p. m., evening service. Rev. Homer A. Flint, Phd., of Pittsburgh, will speak on "The Results of the Nation-wide Campaign." All members are requested to be present. Rev. Gomer D. Griffiths, rector.

Christ Lutheran church, 221 McKee avenue, Rev. A. F. Schilling, pastor---Sunday School at 9:30 a. m. German services at 10:45 a. m., English services at 7:30 p. m. Teachers meeting on Friday evening at 7:45. Ladies' Aid at Mrs. M. Pehl's residence on No. 40 Rostraver street, on Thursday, Nov. 11th. All are welcome at our services.

First United Brethern church—"The church on the Hill near your home; it's Homelike." Rev. A. C. Van Suan, pastor. Daniel Reamer, superintendent of Church School.---Church school at 9:30. Morning worship at 10:45. Junior Christian Endeavor at 2:30. Senior Christian Endeavor at 6:30. Evening worship and sermon at 7:30 o'clock.

Wayman A. M. E. church, corner Reed and McKee Way, Rev. R. R. Downs, pastor. Parsonage 689 McKee Way. Sunday School at 9:30 a. m., A. A. Lucas, superintendent. 11 A. M., preaching by the pastor and class meeting. 6 p. m., Allen Christian Endeavor League, A. A. Boyer, leader. 7:30 p. m., sermon. 7:30 p. m., Wednesday prayer meeting. Board meeting, every fourth Monday at 7:30 p. m. An invitation is extended to all who wish to attend any or all of these services.

St. Paul's Lutheran church, Eighth street and Donner avenue, Rev. Paul A. Weidley, pastor—Sunday school at 9:45 a. m., preaching services at 11:00 a. m. and 7:45 p. m., with sermons by the pastor. Morning subject "The Christian's Standard." Evening subject "Peter, the Confessor," the second sermon in the series on "The Life of Peter." Luther League at 6:30 p. m. Mid week Bible study Wednesday evening at 7:45 o'clock. The public is welcome at all services.

United Brethren church—Morning worship, Communion service. Mrs. Nellie Sherbondy of West Newton will be the principal speaker, representing the Woman's Missionary society. Mrs. A. T. Russell and the pastor will also support the general theme. Memorial services for Miss Vera B. Blinn will immediately preceed the communion. Junior Christian Endeavor "Conscience." Senior Christian Endeavor "Peacemakers." Evening worship "Home Mission Facts."

United Presbyterian, Eighth street and Schoonmaker avenue, Rev. Wilson Reid pastor---Sabbath School at 10 a. m., Prof. Clark McClelland, superintendent, classes to suit all ages, a place where you may encourage others as well as receive a rich blessing yourself. Morning worship at 11 o'clock. Y. P. C. U. at 6:30, subject "Peacemakers." Leader, Walter Nicodene. Evening service at 7:30. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 7:30. These services are open to all and strangers will find a comfortable church home with our friendly people.

Amusement for Both.

"Mornin', pa," said Willie, "what's the matter with the sky?"

"It is not a fair, Jones," replied Mr. Smith. "It is not fair, Jones." Mr. Smith was very profane.

"You have found it a very different thing, eh?"

"Yes. Personally I consider marriage a failure," said Jones.

"Poor fellow, poor fellow," murmured Smith. "How can I manage to put up with that tartar of a wife I don't know."

"It might be worse," said Jones. "We have lots of fun."

"How is that?"

"Well, you see, when my wife gets into a passion she always hurls things at my head. Every time she hits me she is as pleased as Punch, and every time she misses I'm as pleased as Punch. So between us we are never short of amusement."

NOW PREFER USEFUL GIFTS

Younger Generation of Women Said to Look for Utility When Presents Are in Question.

One must mingle with the younger generation to comprehend the changing standards of domestic life. Those things once the heart's desire of women have got lost their charm, we are told. While the proverbial route to a man's heart has not changed its good-bel, and good cooking is still the trade-mark of a desirable wife, yet anniversary expressions of a husband's love are said to be changing in form.

The new note is utility. This is exemplified by a story that comes to us from one who recently visited a young couple while they discussed their approaching anniversary. "I think I shall get Ruth a necklace," the young husband said. Ruth demurred. What then did she wish, was his query, with the suggestion of a diamond or a piece of mahogany furniture, or some other embellishment for the home.

"If you really insist on a present," she said, "I have always wanted an electric washer and a vacuum cleaner."

This suggests the story of the negro bridegroom who, when the honeymoon waned, brought home a heavily mirrored dressing table and a washtub. "Now, Mandy," he said, "you can sidown in front of this and watch yo'self starve to death, or you can use this tub and earn yo' livin'."

A KEEN GRID GENERAL

CAPTAIN BALDWIN
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Captain Baldwin is the best end that Allegheny college, Meadville, Pa., ever had. He is good in every department of the game, a stone wall on defense, a clever man at handling passes and quick to make openings when called upon. He hails from Washington, D. C., weighs 160 pounds and comes from an athletic family, following in the footsteps of his brother Joe, who was captain of the 1918 Allegheny eleven and the following year one of the best halfbacks in the Carnegie Tech team, Pittsburgh.

ALLEGHENY'S FAST QUARTER FROM YOUNGSTOWN

MORLEY
Quarterback, Allegheny College Varsity Eleven.

Youngstown, O., is the home town of the clever open field runner now putting up a remarkable game for the Meadville team, where he is a freshman. From his first appearance for practice he was recognized by Coach Applegarth as being a varsity caliber and the coach's judgment has proven correct. Morley is the dependable type, one of the most faithful workers on the eleven.

Vanishing Indian Language.

Nowhere in America has there been such a diversity of Indian languages as in California. But these languages are now fast disappearing. Several of them are known only by five or six, and others by only 20 or 30 living persons, and hardly a year passes without some dialect, or even language, coming to an end through the death of the last person able to speak it. Efforts are being made to record all these languages for the sake of the light they throw on the ancient history of the Pacific coast.

TO BE SOCIABLE OR SOLITARY

William Hazlett Tells of Times When He Wants to Be Left Alone With His Thoughts.

Give me the clear blue sky over my head, and the green turf beneath my feet, a winding road before me, and a three hours' march to dinner—and then to thinking! It is hard if I cannot start some game on these long heaths. I laugh, I run, I leap, I sing for joy. From the point of yonder rolling cloud I plunge into my past being, and revel there, as the sunburnt Indian plunges headlong into the wave that wafts him to his native village shore. Then long forgotten things, like "sunken wrack and sunless treasuries," burst upon my eager sight. . . . Instead of an awkward silence, broken by attempts at wit or dull commonplace, mine is that undisturbed silence of the heart which alone is perfect eloquence. No one likes puns, alliterations, antithesis, argument and analysis better than I do; but I sometimes had rather be without them. "Leave, oh, leave me to my repose!" I have just now other business in hand which would seem idle to you, but is with me "very stuff o' the conscience." Is not this wild rose sweet without a comment? Does not this daisy leap to my heart set in its coat of emerald? Yet if I were to explain to you the circumstance that has so endeared it to me, you would only smile. Had I not better then keep it to myself and let it serve me to brood over, from here to yonder craggy point, and from thence onward to the far distant horizon? I should be but bad company all that way, and therefore, prefer being alone. I have heard it said that you may, when the moody fit comes on, walk or ride on by yourself and indulge your reveries. But this looks like a breach of manners, a neglect of others, and you are thinking all the time that you ought to rejoin your party. "Out upon such half-faced fellowship," say I. I like to be either entirely to myself or entirely at the disposal of others; to talk or be silent, to walk or sit, to be sociable or solitary.—Table Talk by William Hazlett.

ALLEGHENY'S FIGHTING CENTER

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Edinboro Normal school first had a hand in training this powerful member of Allegheny college's football team. He came to the college a year ago and at once made a place for himself on the 'varsity eleven, with no man in sight really strong enough to make him stretch to hold his place. He is one of the best fighters on the team and makes his 165 pounds go farther and harder than men 20 pounds heavier.

ALLEGHENY'S SPEEDY END FROM NEW CASTLE

NELSON
Right End on Allegheny College Eleven.

[illegible] from New Castle [illegible] and never [illegible] this season [illegible] one home [illegible] yards and is a hard player. This record he has made on the Allegheny team augurs well for being a star in the future.

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American Uniform Curiosity In Paris

(By United Press)

Paris, Oct. 27—Of the 2,000,000 doughboys who celebrated the armistice two years ago in France, there remain in Europe today.

About 15,000 in the Army of Occupation on the Rhine::

Several hundred in the Graves Registration department, looking after 400 cemeteries in various part of France;

Perhaps 25 officers, with headquarters at 7 Rue Tilsitt, settling up the list of the A. E. F.'s bills;

And nearly all of these are new recruits shipped over after the armistice.

On the boulevards, two years ago peopled by doughboys, the American uniform has again become a curiosity. Occasionally heads turn with a reminiscent smile as a khaki-clad man with a big A on his sleeve walks across the Place de l'Opera.

Of the some four or five thousand who hid in the back alleys of Paris when their comrades went home, probably not more than a thousand perhaps only several hundred remain. Army authorities still pick up these deserters from time to time—one in a police court, another in a jail, a few on recognition in a cafe or on the street, and ship them home in handcuffs. Most of them were criminally inclined before entering the army and went back to their old trade in Paris.

The second anniversary of the armistice will see the Yankee soldier in France already receded into history.

As to the two tiny military branches in France. It is estimated that another year will be required to complete the removal to America of the bodies whose removal has been requested by relatives. Thus far, requests have been received for about two-thirds of the number buried in France. The remaining third will be concentrated in four or five large burying grounds.

Colonel Warden, military attache at Paris, placed the total claims still to be settled at about 3,000, generally small amounts; bills from French civilians for supplies.

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Philadelphia Short Over 30,000 Houses

(By United Press)

Philadelphia, Nov. 6—Municipal authorities here were considering a number of plans to relieve housing shortage which is becoming aggravated by the unprecedented influx of immigrants. One plan would provide for construction of houses by the city, with municipal supervision.

A canvas of the foreign sections showed that in nearly all cases houses built to roof one family were occupied by two and sometimes three families. This is a detriment to the health and welfare of the community, according to Dr. Furbush of the Health department here.

Experts figure that Philadelphia is short today 30,000 six room houses. Builders claim that due to the high cost of materials and labor, more than $150,000,000 would be required to build the number of houses needed. $5,000 is the average cost to construct a six room house, according to contractors. During the first nine months of 1920, only 1170 permits to build homes were issued, as against 2903 for 1915, and 7758 for 1916.

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Rise of Russia's Bolsheviki Regime

By J. W. T. MASON

(Written for the United Press)

New York, Nov. 6—The bolsheviki have been in power in Russia since November 8, 1917. Their revolution began November 7 with the sudden seizure of the official telegraph news Agency in Petrograd and the state bank. The next day the Petrograd garrison joined the movement and the government passed into the hands of Lenine and Trotsky, following the flight of Kerensky.

Bolsheviki means Maximalists. The Bolsheviki got their name because they insisted on the immediate application of the Maximalist socialist program of communism. Kerensky, who had come into power as a moderate socialist after the overthrow of the Romanoffs, opposed the Lenine-Trotsky Maximalist program. That, however, was not the cause of his overthrow. Kerensky was the friend of the allies. Hewanted to keep Russia in the war. The Russian people however, were war-weary. The Bolsheviki promised a quick peace and that was the fundamental reason why Red rule started in Russia.

The Bolsheviki quickly began negotiations with Germany for a separate peace. The Germans insisted on imperialistic resist, but they had not the power. So, on February 11, 1918, the Bolsheviki brought about peace as it had never been proclaimed before. They declared the war was at an end and ordered demobilization on all fronts. At the same time they said they would sign no peace terms with Germany. This puerile attitude of biding from insurmountable difficulties marked the Bolsheviki throughout its existence. The German army started a leisurely march on Petrograd and on March 3, 1918, the Bolsheviki signed peace on Germany's terms.

Meanwhile there were incipient uprisings against the Bolsheviki. They were easily put down because the Russians so ardently desired peace. But the Bolshevik were in weak minority numerically. At no time have they much exceeded half a million active workers. To prevent themselves from being outvoted in any test of strength with any other Russian party, the Bolsheviki dissolved the constituent assembly at Petrograd by armed force on January 20, 1918. Thereafter, throughout their administration, the Bolsheviki governed without any legislature to control them. They refused to let the Russian people vote upon any position concerning the kind of government Russia should have.

In March 1918 the Bolsheviki transferred the capital to Moscow. They feared the uncertain temper of the people of Petrograd and they wanted to be nearer Russia's food centres. In this they showed good judgement, for under the inefficient administration of the soviets, Petrograd suffered from disease and famine more than any other part of Russia.

Once in Moscow the Bolsheviki introduced a complicated electoral system whereby final power was lodged in the hands of a dozen fanatics. The personnel of this group changed from time to time, except that Lenine and Trotsky were always the leaders They retained the support of the workingmen and peasants by legalizing the seizure of all factories and land from the rightful owners. The factory hands agreed to the principle of communism and consented to the state's administering the occupied plants. The peasants, howevr flatly refused to accept communism. Once the land had been taken from the great profiteers the peasants divided it up among themselves. They declined to recognize state ownership and instead upon the peasant proprietory system. This was contrary to the Bolsheviki theory, but Lenine and Trotsky dared not thwart the peasants.

The stated administration of industry broke down complete. Bolsheviki would give no encouragement to administrative skill and appointed incompetents to high executive posts. At the same time arrests and executions were ordered to stamp out counter-revolutionary activities by terrorism. Inefficiently developed everywhere except among the peasants. They flourished as never before. Had unprecedented quantity of food for themselves. They sent only consignments to the industrial centres and kept the major parts at home. They had to do without manufactured articles, but they were never favored in this respect under the czars and did not greatly feel the privation.

A revolt against the Bolsheviki in the industrial centres that would have overthrown this rule might soon have been brought about if the allies had left the Russians to themselves. The United States and Great Britian wished to follow this policy but France objected, insisting that the Bolsheviki must be overthrown quickly and that this could only be brought about by giving foreign aid to the disaffected groups within Russia.

Admiral Kolchak, General Denikine, General Wrangel and other Russian conservatives were supplied through French insistence with money and war munitions by the allies But the only effect of this plan was to rally the vast majority of Russians to the defense of their country. Lenine and Trotsky cleverly persuaded the Russian people that the allies were intent upon destroying Russia. The response to the Bolsheviki call for volunteers for the army was overwhelming. Every attempt of the allies to fight Russia from within was defeated.

But the raising of large enemies by the Bolsheviki for defence purposes at last bred a spirit of military adventure. Poland had been encouraged by rance to invade Russia and had suffered severe defeat. The Poles were driven from Russian territory. The conquering Russians became intoxicated with their successes. Instead of resting on their own frontier they pursued the enemy into Poland. The Poles were demoralized. A wave of imperialism swept over Russia. The Russians determined to take Warsaw. The Poles were badly led and their officers were not skilled in major strategic problems.

At this critical moment France sent to Warsaw General Weygrand, Marshal Foch's most trusted lieutenant. Weygrand saw at once that the Russians had committed their old military fault of outrunning their lines of communication. By a few masterly maneuvers with the Polish army, demoralized as it was, he threatened to annihilate the Russian invaders. Their supplies were in grave danger and a retreat was necessary. Within a week Weygrand had cleared Poland of Russian troops. It was all a series of problems in higher strategy.

The collapse of the military prestige of the Bolsheviki was followed by acceptance of the Polish peace terms. These terms were far diffrent from the set of soviet conditions which Lenine and Trotsky had hoped to force upon the Poles. The disastrous adventure into Poland dismayed the Russian troops. They deserted by thousands and returned home disillusioned. Thereafter, revolts against the Bolsheviki began to be frequently reported from many parts of the country.

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Rabbi Dr. Joseph Krauskoph, in outlining his plan for colonization of Jews to till land on an extensive scale in the west, contrasted farm production in California and Pennsylvania, pointing to the fact that while forty bushels of corn per acre is realized on Pennsylvania soil, California yields twice as much or eighty bushels corn per acre.

It is proposed that all graduates of the National Farm School here, of which Dr. Krauskoph is president, be sent to untalented places in California and other fertile acreages in the west, largely as an experiment. By working collectively and in large numbers, as proposed by the plan, the trained workers would speed up production as cheaply as if Japanese labor were employed and with better results, Dr. Krauskoph said.

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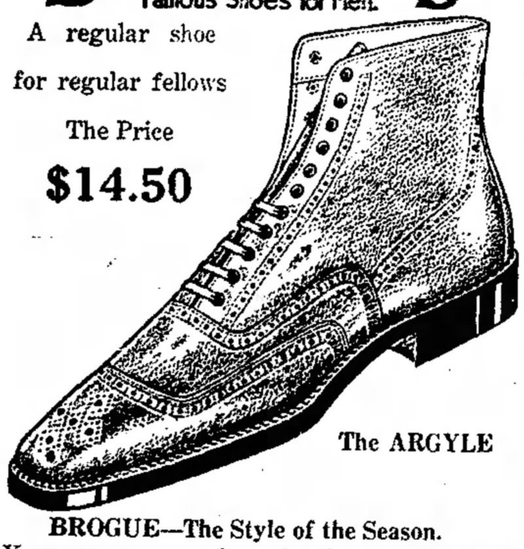

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Mrs. Lucille Joseph, Samuel Livingstone, William J. Wayne and a fourth person, whose name was not given, were held for questioning. The "wine" was said to have been served in Mrs. Joseph's apartment last night.

Roberts was said to have had $1,500 in cash and a valuable diamond ring last evening. When the body was found the pockets contained only a fountain pen and $1.

Roberts' business associates said he had intended going to Chicago today on business, having received word from the police of that city that Gerard Hokey, his former chauffeur, who disappeared last July was held there charged with forging Roberts' name to a check.

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